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In re application of

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PROTECTIVE ELEMENT FOR A BREAKWATER OR WAVE-RETARDING CONSTRUCTION

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 November 23, 2005

Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

An Appendix, including copies of three documents, is attached following the signature page of this paper.